

Advocacy Basics Training

Sponsored by Prevent Child Abuse Virginia, in Cooperation with:

- Voices for Virginia's Children
- Virginia Poverty Law Center
- Virginia Interfaith Center for Public Policy

Training is being offered for anyone interested in learning more about how to be an effective advocate for children and families. **Classes are free** and include a handbook that can be used as an ongoing source of information. Those who should attend the class include citizens, students, and new professionals in the human service field.....anyone who is interested in learning more about our legislative process and how you can make a difference with your elected officials.

You must RSVP to reserve a space. When your reservation is received, directions to the training location will be e-mailed back.

Northern Virginia: (Co- Sponsored by Smart Beginnings Alexandria- Arlington & Voices for Virginia's Children.) When: Friday, October 5, 2007 11:30am-1:30pm. Where: Campagna Center, 418 S. Washington St., Alexandria VA Trainers: John Morgan and Kathy May, Voices for Virginia Children RSVP: Karen Hughes - (Khughes@campagna.center.org) (703) 549-0111, ext. 117 NOTE: Lunch will be provided	Southwestern Virginia: When: Friday, October 12, 2007 10:00am-12:00pm Where: Mountain Empire Older Citizens, Industrial Park 1A, Big Stone Gap VA Trainer: Christie Marra, Virginia Poverty Law Center RSVP: Shontay Wilson - swilson@pcav.org (804) 359-6166, ext. 302
Western Virginia: When: Friday, October 19, 2007 3:00-5:00pm Where: Jefferson Center, 1541 Luck Ave, Roanoke VA Trainer: Richard Grossman, The Vectre Corporation RSVP: Shontay Wilson - swilson@pcav.org (804) 359-6166, ext. 302	Central Virginia: When: Friday, November 9, 2007 10:00 am- 12:00pm Where: Prevent Child Abuse Virginia Trainers: Jeanine Harper, Greater Richmond SCAN and Ann Rassmussen, Virginia Interfaith Center for Public Policy RSVP: Shontay Wilson - swilson@pcav.org (804) 359-6166, ext. 302
Eastern Virginia: When: Wednesday, November 28, 2007. 2:00-4:00pm. Where: YWCA, 5215 Colley Ave, Norfolk VA Trainers: Connie and Bruce Meyer, Prevent Child Abuse Hampton Roads RSVP: Shontay Wilson - swilson@pcav.org (804) 359-6166, ext. 302	